

# Paducah

- Activity: **Community Engagement Concerning Re-enriching Uranium Tails**
  - Paducah has roughly 40,750 cylinders of depleted uranium. A portion of these cylinders represent a potential asset to DOE for future mission activities. The re-enrichment of the tails provides a very cost effective return on investment. The operator of the PGDP has also indicated that their future operations are at risk and that the opportunity to re-enrich the tails at the GDP may be lost in the near future.
  - The Paducah CAB through recommendations, briefings, and participation on other organizations, has aided DOE by informing the community on issues surrounding the re-enrichment of these tails. The CAB's message has been that, with community consent, DOE's ongoing cleanup activities, including long term D&D, could be benefited by generating barter revenue.



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- Top Issue: **Develop a Clean Up Strategy That Integrates With A Community Driven Future Use Plan**
  - CAB believes that it is possible to maximize the combined efforts of DOE and the community by sequencing the cleanup of key areas to aid reindustrialization.
  - CAB believes that there is an opportunity to work with DOE to develop a holistic approach that can benefit all stakeholders and all types of future use (DOE, Community, Recreation, Economic Development, Site Heritage and History)

